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FOR SCA ADMINISTRATOR BARBARA WATSON

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TAGS: PFOR, CVIS, CSCE, PL
SUBJ: DIPLOMATIC AND OFFICIAL VISAS

1. I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR HELP IN CONCLUDING
AN AGREEMENT WE HAVE SOUGHT FOR SEVERAL MONTHS AND IN WHICH THE POLISH

GOVERNMENT CONCURRED IN FEBRUARY. THE DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN STUDYING
FOR SIX WEEKS THE PROPOSED TEXT OF AN AIDE MEMOIRE IN WHICH, AMONG
OTHER THINGS, WE PROPOSE TO CONFIRM OUR ORAL AGREEMENT TO REDUCE
THE WAITING PERIOD FOR OFFICIAL AND DIPLOMATIC VISAS AND TO
EXTEND PERIODS OF THEIR VALIDITY. ON APRIL 13, WE REMOVED
THIS SUBJECT FROM THE PROPOSED AIDE MEMOIRE AND ASKED THE DEPARTMENT
TO CONCUR INSTEAD IN A NOTE DEALING ONLY WITH DIPLOMATIC AND
OFFICIAL VISAS. (WARSAW 2517)

2. SINCE THE DEPARTMENT APPROVED BOTH CHANGES IN PRINCIPLE, I FIND
IT HARD TO UNDERSTAND THE DELAY. ALTHOUGH THE POLISH GOVERNMENT WAS
SLOW TO AGREE TO THE CHANGES, OFFICIALS HERE ARE NOW QUICK TO
BLAME US FOR OUR FAILURE TO PUT THE AGREEMENT INTO EFFECT.

3. THE CHIEF OF THE EMBASSY'S CONSULAR SECTION IS TO CALL MAY 3
ON A NEW DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE MFA'S CONSULAR DEPARTMENT.
I WOULD GREATLY APPRECIATE RECEIVING BEFORE THEN AUTHORIZATION
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TO CONCLUDE THIS AGREEMENT.
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